

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Appl. No.: 10/714,208  
Applicant(s): Catherine L. Funderburk, et al.  
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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED October 26, 2006**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated October 26, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

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